

## CIVIL POWERS WILL BE UPHELD

Spain Stands Firm in Its Attitude Toward the Vatican.

Madrid, March 1.—The Cabinet tonight discussed the question of the government's relations with the Vatican, and arrived at an agreement on the guiding principle to be observed in the future negotiations. It further confirmed its decision to submit the association bill to the Cortes. It is understood that the Foreign Minister, Garcia Prieto, read at the Cabinet meeting the government's reply to the Vatican's note, and that a copy of this has been telegraphed to the charge at Rome. The reply, which was unanimously endorsed by the Cabinet, expresses in most courteous terms the firm determination of the government to uphold the rights of the civil powers.

**Rome's Conditions.** Rome, March 1.—The Osservatore Romano, the Vatican organ, says that the Spanish government has expressed a desire to reopen negotiations with the Holy See the latter has replied that it is ready to give further proof of its wish to reach an understanding, and that notwithstanding the present judicial situation of the religious orders shall be introduced without a previous understanding with the Holy See.

First, that the new negotiations with reference to the religious orders have as a basis the principles of the concordat and the principles of the law, namely that no modification of the present judicial situation of the religious orders shall be introduced without a previous understanding with the Holy See.

Second, that the negotiations shall be extended to that part of the association's bills having reference to the religious associations.

Third, that during the negotiations the Spanish government shall abstain

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from issuing rules which can in any way affect unfavorably the negotiations.

EASTMAN BUNGALOW SOLD

Reminiscence of Murder and Suicide Near St. Michaels, Md.

Easton, Md., March 1.—The bungalow and farm, containing twenty acres of land, on Broad Creek, near St. Michaels, belonging to the late Robert Eastman, the suicide and murderer of Mrs. Edith May Woodall, the adopted daughter of the late Colonel Charles Thompson, of McDaniel, were sold yesterday at public sale in front of the courthouse at Easton. The sale attracted a large crowd from this county and from different parts of this and adjoining States. The bidding was spirited.

Postmaster R. Rastall Walker, of Easton, got the property for \$735, but would not give the name of the person for whom he bought it. It is understood that it will be sold to a man living either in Baltimore or Philadelphia, who will build a residence there and make it his summer home.

BREATHLESS, BUT LIVES

Remarkable Case of Suspended Animation at South Norwalk, Conn.

South Norwalk, Conn., March 1.—His physicians pronounced William Shirdivene dead seven days ago, and arrangements for his funeral were begun.

He still lives, although the same physician declares he has not drawn a breath in all the seven days; there has been no respiration in that time.

The doctors say it is an astounding case of suspended animation. When they irritate a nerve centre or a great nerve in Mr. Shirdivene's body with a needle some of the muscles supplied by the nerve respond to the irritation. So the muscles are alive.

Besides, the deteriorative changes that take place soon after death are lacking. Shirdivene is in the same physical condition as before his "demise." But he answers to none of the severest tests to determine whether or not a man lives except to nerve irritation.

Mr. Shirdivene, whose home is on Ely Avenue, is well known here.

IS BARRED FROM HOLLAND

British Government Exercised Over Ban Placed Against Subject.

Rterdam, Holland, March 1.—Rudolph S. Thiney, director of the Uranium steamship line, who is now in Berlin, has been prohibited from returning to the Netherlands by the order of the Dutch authorities in the outcome of the transatlantic emigrant traffic dispute which arose from Germany's refusal to permit Russians turning from America aboard the

THE WEATHER.

Forecast: Virginia—Uncertain, probably fair Thursday; Friday fair; moderate to brisk. North Carolina—Rain or snow, followed by fair Thursday; Friday fair; moderate northwest winds, becoming variable.

CONDITIONS YESTERDAY.

Wednesday midnight temperature 53. S. A. temperature 48. Humidity 77. Wind, direction, force, South. Wind velocity 12. Clouds 6. 12 noon temperature 57. 3 P. M. temperature 57. Maximum temperature up to 5. P. M. temperature 45. Minimum temperature up to 5. P. M. temperature 29. Moon temperature 27. Normal temperature 42. Deficiency in temperature 13. Deficiency in temperature since March 1 5. Accum. excess in temperature since January 1 145. Accum. deficiency in rainfall since January 1 37.

CONDITIONS IN IMPORTANT CITIES.

(At 8 P. M. Eastern Standard Time.)

Place. High. Low. Weather.

Arlene 46 52 Cloudy

Atlanta 42 48 Cloudy

Baltimore 42 48 Rain

Atlantic City 42 48 Clear

Asheville 34 40 Cloudy

Boston 34 40 Clear

Buffalo 32 38 Clear

Calgary 42 48 Clear

Charleston 42 48 Rain

Chicago 38 44 Cloudy

Denver 38 44 Clear

Duluth 28 34 Cloudy

Galveston 52 58 Cloudy

Huron 52 58 Cloudy

Indianapolis 42 48 Clear

Jacksonville 72 78 Clear

Jupiter 78 84 Clear

Kansas City 38 44 Clear

Knoxville 42 48 Clear

Louisville 38 44 Cloudy

Memphis 38 44 Cloudy

Mobile 38 44 Cloudy

Montreal 38 44 Cloudy

New York 38 44 Clear

New Orleans 62 68 Cloudy

North Platte 38 44 Clear

Norfolk 38 44 Clear

Oklahoma City 38 44 Cloudy

Pittsburgh 38 44 Clear

Raleigh 38 44 Cloudy

Savannah 42 48 Rain

San Francisco 42 48 Cloudy

St. Paul 38 44 Clear

Spokane 38 44 Clear

Tampa 38 44 Clear

Washington 38 44 Clear

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Wynneville 38 44 Clear

## PUNISH STUDENTS FOR NIGHTGOWN PARADE

Fifty Suspended for Invasion of Dormitory of the Co-Eds at Hiram College.

Hiram, O., March 1.—Fifty Hiram College students were suspended for two weeks for taking part in a nightgown parade through the girls' dormitory.

The suspended men who live out of town were ordered to go to their homes, and the resident students to keep away from the college for the time of suspension.

President Bates at chapel requested all the young women to leave the room. When he said he was sorry that the young men of Hiram College should so far forget themselves as to bring disgrace not only upon themselves, but on the college as well.

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A RECIPROCITY PLANK

Democrats Adopt Sensible Arrangement of Republican Administration.

Muskegon, Mich., March 1.—Following the nomination of a ticket for minor State offices and after a heated debate, the Democratic State Convention to-day unanimously adopted a plank on reciprocity. On that question the platform says:

"Having been repudiated by the people throughout the country at the last election, the national administration is now seeking to escape its fatally wrong position on the tariff by a movement to establish reciprocity with Canada."

"We recognize the merit embodied in the true principle of reciprocity properly applied in connection with a concurrent downward revision of the tariff, and we commend the statesmanship of the Democratic representatives in Congress who rose above partisanship in connection with the pending treaty, and declare that we have full confidence that the Democratic House of Representatives will promptly enact measures for the downward revision of the tariff on such commodities and products as will remove discrimination and make the tariff equitable for all classes."

The platform reaffirms belief in the initiative, referendum and recall, and charges the Republican State Legislature with "unstable activity," declaring that the grand total of legislative enactment thus far being "an immunity bill which seems to be the variety of enactment just now appropriate to and popular with the Republican party."

WALLING TESTIFIES

Wealthy Socialist Takes Stand in Own Behalf.

New York, March 1.—William English Walling, the wealthy Socialist and writer, testified in his own defense at night continuance of today's session of the hearing of the \$100,000 breach of promise suit brought against him by Anna Berthe Grunspan. He testified that he first met the plaintiff on

But Wife-Beater Is Sent to Whipping Post.

Baltimore, Md., March 1.—The spectacle was witnessed in the Criminal Court here to-day of a white man, who had brutally beaten his wife, pleading for mercy, with tears streaming down his face, when he heard the sentence of five lashes at the whipping post and imprisonment in jail. But there was no mercy, because the testimony showed that Frank McCauley struck his wife seven or eight times, choked her and then took from her more than \$20.

It was the second sentence of a wife-beater to the post by Judge Duffy within a month.

BED SET ON FIRE BY A CIGARETTE

When an inmate of the home of C. W. Crowder, 701-1/2 East Leigh Street, dropped a lighted cigarette, it bedded this morning about 1:30 o'clock and fell asleep, he was awakened by the noise of fire apparatus. A still alarm was turned in and Company No. 3 responded. No difficulty was experienced in extinguishing the flames. The damage was trifling.

WILL CONSOLIDATE MILLS.

Boston, Mass., March 1.—Plans are being made by Boston financiers to consolidate nine cotton mill properties in South Carolina. The mills are the Victor, Monaghan, Apache, Greers, Olympia, Granby, Richland, Capital City and Beatty. The mills are all situated in the vicinity of Columbia and Greenville. The consolidated company is capitalized at \$10,000,000. The nine plants have a total of 357,982 spindles.

## CLEVER HAZING SEEN IN SENATE

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He expressed the opinion that the transfer of the management of the tariff bill could not be explained. He called upon Senator Beveridge. "For four years I have been trying to secure